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Banks.

NOTICE,

TYULES OF THE HONGRONG SAVINGS' BANK.

L. The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10

2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. 3. Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may a their option transfer the same to the

Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Ourporsition on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cont. per annum interest. t,-Interest at the rate of 3e per cent. per amount will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.

h,-Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be fre sented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.

6- Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkeing Sanings' Bank Business is forwarded tree by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and Ohina

-Withdrawals may be made on deniand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass Book . For the

HONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION. F. DE BOVIS, Acting Chief Marager.

Bongkong, January 1, 1891. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION. AID-UP CAPITAL, \$9,296,677.07

RESERVE FUND,..................\$6,806,596.3. COURT OF DIRECTORS. " Chairman J. S. Mosks, Esq.

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HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. N Ourrent Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily On Fixed Deposits :-For 8 months, 8 per cent. per annum.

b per cent. LOCAL BRILE DISCOUNTED. Oredite granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

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Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. . F. DE BOVIS, Acting Uhief Manager.

Hongkong, March 11, 1891. THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL£2,000,000. PAID-UP CAPITAL£580,000.

Head Office40, Phreadneedle Street. West End Office... 25, Cockspur Street.

BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND THE COLONIES.

FIJHE BANK receives Money on Deposit Buya and Sella Bills of Exchange, Issues Letters of Oredit, forwards Bills for Collection, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally, on terms to 16 had on application.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEFOSITS fixed for 12 months, Sper Cent. per Annum.

ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS 2 per Cent. per Annum on the Daily Balance. B.W. RUTTER, Manager,

Hongkong, September 4, 1890,

號二十月四年一十九百八千一英

Intimations.

WATSON & Co., LIMITED.



ONGKONG DISPENSARY (ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.)

Wholesale and Retail Druggists. ANALYTICAL, FAMILY, DISPENSING & GENERAL CHEMISTS.

PERFUMERS. PATENT MEDICINE PROPRIETORS.

SEEDSMEN.

WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS

CIGAR IMPORTERS, &c., &c.

MANUTACTURERS OF AERATED WATERS BY STEAM MACHINERY.

ITHIS being The Figure Anniversary of our Firm, and THE JUBILEE YEAR of the Colony, "THE HONGKONG DISPENsary having been Established A.D. 1841," we take the opportunity of thanking our friends for their support during the last 50 years, and tender them the assurance of our

best services in the future as in the past. We shall continue to import Drugs, CEEMICALS, and Goods of every kind of the BEST QUALITY ONLY as heretofore, at prices that will be found to compare favourwith those ruling at home.

BRANCH ESTABLISHMENTS. A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. THE SHANGHAI PHARMACY, SHANGHAI, 24, Nankin Road.

BOTICA INGLEZA, MANILA, Escolta, 14. THE CANTON DIRPERSARY, CANTON, Canal Road.

THE DISPENSARY, FOOCHOW. THE DISPENSARY, HANKOW. THE DISPENSARY, TIENTSIN.

LONDON OFFICE, 106. Fenchurch Street, E.C. THE HONOKONG DISPENSARY,

21st January, 1891. HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

COMPETITION for the Long Range Handicap CHALLENGE CUP and Range SPOONS will be held on SATUR-DAY NEXT, the 25th Inst., commencing at 3.15 p.m. Distances-800 and 900

Yards. Usual conditions. A Launch will leave the P. & O. Pier at 2.45 p.m. to convey Competitors. FRANK COLLINS, Hon. Secretary.

N.B.—Competitors who have not yet paid Street. their Subscriptions to these Oups, are requested to forward the amount (\$1 each cup) to the Hon. Treasurer.

Hongkong, April 21, 1891. CAMPBELL MOORE & CO., LIMITED

Shareholders held on the 28th March, stay at Shanghai.

1. That the word Ten in Article 30, of the Articles of Association, be altered into Five.

2.—That Article 54, be altered by sub-stituting the following words for the Original Article. "The Directors shall not be more than Five and not less than Three in

Number. 3.—That Article 84 Para 1, be amended by substituting the word Six, for the word Twelve in such Article. By Order of the Board,

J. Z. LEON, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, April 11, 1891.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-

PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

Final DIVIDEND at the Rate of Tan A SHILLINGS AND SIX PENOE (10/6) per Share, on the Original Shares, £13 paid-up, and a First DIVIDEND at the Rate of 3 % on the New Shares, £2 paid-up, will be PAID on the 24TH INSTANT. The Transfer BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 17th to the 24th Inst. (inclusive). ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, April 15, 1891. 781 RONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB. HONGKONG DERBY, 1892.

THE WEIGHTS for the above RACE will be weight for inches, not 10st, 10th as heretofore. E. H. GORE-BOOTH,

Clerk of the Course. Hongkong, March 17, 1891.

Business Notices.

Established February,

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 1891.

BRACKET AND HANGING LAMPS

FOR SALE.

"ROCHESTER," HIGH CANDLEPOWER. WALL AND REFLECTOR LAMPS.

HANGING LAMPS, 120-C.P. "THE LAMP BELGE." ALL METAL TABLE LAMPS, 45.0.P., \$6.50 EACH.
DECORATED PORCELAIN TABLE LAMPS.

HINK'S "DUPLEX" LAMPS. TABLE LAMPS, SAFETY BURNERS. WIND-PROOF PUNKAH LAMPS, \$8.00 BACK WIND-PROOF BRACKET LAMPS.

DIETZ TUBULAR WINDPROOF LANTERNS, WALL LAMPS & STREET LAMPS. SHIP'S SALOON, CABIN AND BERTH LAMPS. LAMP GLOBES, SHADES, CHIMNIES, WICKS, BURNERS, &c., &c. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hougkong, April 18, 1891. Victoria Hotel, Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within tive minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c , has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horaus in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious,

The HOTEL also contains handsome and consortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD and SMOKING ROOMS. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service.

Continental languages are spoken. Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE.

Hongkong, September 18, 1885.

TAILORS, GENERAL OUTFITTERS, &c. (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

ably with local rates, and in many instances OUR STOCK of SEASONABLE GOODS is now complete in all the NEWEST. U MATERIALS, comprising:—A Large Variety of DRESS SUITING from \$30, upwards. TWEEDS for SUITS, ULSTERS and INVERNESS CAPES, CORDS and ELASTICS for RIDING and SHOOTING, BRUCHES and LEGGINGS.

EVENING DRESS SHIRTS, COLLARS, TIES, GLOVES, SILK, LISLE THREAD and CASHMERE SOOKS; PATENT LEATHER PUMPS and SHOES, &0., &0., &0.

W. POWELL & Co. GENTLEMEN'S

CHILDREN

W. POWELL & Co.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

SPECIAL SESSIONS of HER MA-JESTY'S JUSTICES of the PEACE | Will shortly OPEN a BRANCH HOUSE in will be held in the Justines' Room, at the Megistracy, at Eleven o'Clock in the Foremoon of TUESDAY, the 28th day of April, A.D. 1891, for the purpose of considering an application from one CARL HEINRICH W. WALLIS, for a LICENCE to sell INTOXICATING Liquors as an Adjunct to his Business as Restaurateur at House No. 15, Wellington

ALFRED G. WISE, Police Magistrate. MAGISTRACY,

Hongkong, 15th April, 1891.

SHANGHAI RACES.

NOTICE ishereby given that an EXTRA- THE MESSAGERIES MAR TIMES Co. and ORDINARY MEETING of SHARE- THE PRINTSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM HOLDERS of the Company will be held on Navigation Co. will Issue RETURN MONDAY, the 27th Instant, at 4 p.m., at TICKETS to SHANGHAI by their the Hongkong Horse, for the purpose of STRAMERS leaving on or about the 8th, confirming the following Special Resolutions 14th and 22nd Instant, available for Return passed at the Extraordinary Meeting of by either line and allowing of One Month's

Fares :- First Saloon \$60. Hongkong, April 6, 1891.



CALDBECK MACGREGOR & Wine and Spirit Merchants. Ale and Stout Merchants,

Hongkong. Agencies in all the Principal Ports of China and Japan. Hougkong, December 22, 1890.

13, QUERN'S ROAD,

MAC'S AINE OPECIAL BLEND O FINEST OLD VATTED

SCOTCH WHISKY,

Of unsurpassed body and exquisite and highly refined flavour. . . . \$10 per Case. Sole Itgent, JOHN D. HUTCHISON.

Hongkong, October 30, 1890.

Intimations.

MOUTRIE, ROBINSON & Co., (From J. BROADWOOD & SONS and COLLARD & COLLARD), Hongkong and show a Large and Varied

PIANOS, and ORGANS, MUSIC. and every description of

INSTRUMENTS. SALE, HIRE,

Purchase by Monthly Payments. We shall be prepared to undertake the

REPAIRING OF REBUILDING THROUGHOUT of PIANOS, PIPE or REED ORGANS, &c. on Free Estimates. We employ a Large Staff of Native Work-men, and all our Foreign Tuners & Repairers have been trained in the best Factories, and we will GUARANTEE all our Work. MOUTRIE, ROBINSON & Co.,

LONDON, SHANGHAL, KOBE and YORONAMA. '16 Years' Extensive Experience in China and the only Firm of trained and practical people devoting themselves entirely to the MUSIC AND MUSICAL INSTRUMENT TRADE.

NOTICE. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED. CHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the

HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention. In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES, Hongkong, August 25, 1885.

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co., Ohronometer, Watch & Clock Makers, Jawellers, Gold & Silversmiths. MIAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL-

VOIGHLANDER'S CALEBRATED BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES. REPUBLIC LEGULD AND OTHER COMPASSES. ADMIRALTY & IMRAY CHARTS, NAUTICAL BOOKS. English SILVER & ELECTRO-PLATED WARE. Christoffe & Co. a ELECTRO-PLATED WARE GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY

INSTRUMENTS.

in great variety. DIAMONDS P- AND ... DIAMOND JEWELLERY, A Splendid Collection of the Latest Lorpon

PATTEENS, at pary moderate prices. 742

SAMANTAN MINING COM-PANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

Intimations.

THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA

Company's Office, No. 9, Queen's Road on MONDAY, the 27th day of April, 1891, Central, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 23rd April, 1891, at 4 p.m., when the subjoined Resolution which was passed at the By Command, Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held This Day the 8th April, 1891, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution :-

"To Cancel and climinate from the Articles of Association paragraph No. 2 of. "Article VI and substitute the following in lieu thereof :-2.-" The Directors in Meeting may in-

orease the Capital of the Company "by the issue of Sixty Thousand . Shares of One Dollar each, and "the Company in General Meeting " may from time to time increase the "Capital by the issue of shares to "such denomination as the Meeting

may determine. "To Cancel and eliminate from the Arti-"cles of Association paragraph, No. 5 of " Article XIII. "That us Articles of Association be amended by the addition of the following clause after paragraph 11 of sec. 16, viz -

12. -" That the Directors may at their "discretion abandon or surrender the "whole or any portion of the Com-"pany's property, Sunghie Dua "Samantan situated in the Malay "State of Pahang; on such terms "and conditions as they may deem

"That it be an instruction to the Directors to issue the New Shares as Preference Shares, and that the holders thereof be "entitled to a cumulative preferential divi-"dend at the rate of 12 per cent. per "That in the avent of the Company being wound up the holders of the eaid preference Shares shall be entitled to have the surplus assets of the Company applied in the first place to repaying to them of

the amount paid up on such preference shares. The residue of such surplus assets

" shall belong to and be divided among the " ordinary shareholders of the Company," By Order of the Board, A. O'D. GOURDIN.

Hongkong, April 8, 1891.

CANTON DISTRICT. LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS,

Whampou Barrier (Li-te-cha) Piles carried away

ATOTICE is hereby given that a NUMBER of Pixes on both sides of the passage through this Barrier having been CARBIED AWAY. Masters of Veryels are cautioned not to approach too not either of the lights, but steer a mid course through the

J. H. MAY, Harbour Man'er.

F. E. WOODRUFF, Commissioner. CUSTOM HOUSE,

Canton, 16th April, 1891.

THE BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

ISSUE OF 4.500 PREFERENCE SHARES AT \$10 EACH, FULLY PAID-UP.

THE DIRECTORS of the above-named Company have been empowered by Special Resolution of the Shareholders of this Company to issue 4,500 Shares or such proportion thereof as they may deem neces-

These Shares carry a right to a cumulative Proferential Dividend of 12 %. In the event of the Company being wound up the Holders of these Shares will be ontitled to have the Assets of the Company (after paying debts) applied in the first place to repayment to them of the amount paid for these Shares.

The Directors are able to state on information received from Sydney that the total amount of the Company's indebtedness is or to only \$15,000. The Bulmoral property has been very favorably reported on by independent experts at Sydney, and the results of Crushings have been satisfactory-although the

best stone has not yet been reached. Advices have been lately received from the Mine informing the Directors that there are more than 8,000 tons of tailings left by former workers ready to hand, and allowing for cost of treatment, Cartage, freight, &c., the gold should realize £2.0.0 per ton nett. These tailings form an additional and valu-

able Asset The Public are invited to subscribe for these Shares and in the event of present Shareholders failing to apply the balance of Taxes, \$32 a month. Shares unapplied for will be allotted pro

rata to the Public. Application Forms are to be obtained from and to be sent in to the Company's Bankors TEE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAL BANKING CORPORATION in Hongkong, Shanghai and Coast Ports, on or before the 24TH INSTANT, accompanied by payment of \$10 per Share for each Share applied for.
The Lirectors will probably issue not more than 2,500 of these Preference Shares at par.

By Order of the Board, K. A. STEVENS, Secretary. Hongkong, April 16, 1891.

STAG HOTEL

QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG. THIS HOTEL situated in the most Central part of Hongkong, has recently been REFITTED, and has Excellent Accommedation for Visitors.

The TABLE is always well Supplied with the BEST ARTICLES of the Season. WINES, LIQUORS, &c., of the very best

quality only.

CHARGES MODERATE.

HING LEE & Co. Proprietors. Hongkong, April 15, 1891.

日四十月三年卯辛

Auctions.

TRAORDINARY General MEETING THE following Particulars and Condiof the above Company will be held at the Public. Aucrion, to be held on the Spot,

W. M. DEANE. Acting Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Hongkong, April 11th, 1891.

Particulars and Conditions of the Letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on Monday, the 27th day of April, 1891, at 4 p.m., by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Let of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 999 years.

Particulars of the Lot.

Boundary-Менните-Locality. ments. H. B. E. W. B. B. ft. It. ft. ft. Inland Lane, (War-No. chni 55 (187.6 70 100 15,190 208 3780

To Let.

TO LET. NTOS. 9 & 11, SEYMOUR TERRACE No. 4. OLD BAILEY STREET. ROOMS in College CHAMBERS. OFFICES and CHAMBERS in Con-AUGHT House, Queen's Road Central. OFFICES in VICTORIA BUILDINGS. No. 2, PEDDER'S HILL.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, April 10, 1891. TO LET.

With Immediate Possession.

OFFICES—(above Messrs. Douglas LAPRAIR & Co.'s Premises). Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST MENT & AGENCY Co., LTD.

CHEFOO.

TO LET-FURNISHED TILL 15TH JULY. TAR. CAMPBELL'S BUNGALOW, OR IVI the EAST BEACH.

Hongkong, December 16, 1890.

For Particulars, apply to R. M. CAMPBELL, 11th April, 1891.

TO LET AT THE PEAK. (PARTLY FURNISHED). "DROOKHURST" a detached Resi D dence situate upon MOUNT GOUGH 792 about seven minutes walk from Plantation Road Station and from which is obtained a magnificent view of the Harbour and out

to Sea. The HOUSE contains DRAWING-

ROOMS, DINING-ROOMS, four BED-ROOMS,

DEVING and BATH BOOMS, &c., and has

Tennis Ground attached, which will be put in order at the Landlord's expense if the house be taken for a year. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION. For further particulars apply to

PALMER & TURNER. Architects, de. No. 5, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, April 11, 1891.

TO LET. OGETHER or Subdivided, Suite of

THREE OFFICES on the First Floor,

Apply to the MANAGER at the Depôt JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, April 7, 1891.

and GODOWN on the Ground Floor of the

TOE COMPANY'S PREMISES in Ice House

THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILD ING COMPANY, LIMITED. TO LET.

KNUTSFORD TERRACE, KOWLOON, TOUSES, with 5 ROOMS, including BATH-ROOMS. TENNIS COURTS. GOO view and healthy situation. Rent and

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST. MENT & AGENCY Co., LTD. Hongkong, March 24, 1891. TO BE LET SHORTLY. N exceedingly Comfortable and Cool

SIX-ROOMED HOUSE, Apply to the SECRETARY, Humphrey's Estate and Finance Company, Limited. Hongkong, April 4, 1891.

TO BE LET OR BOLD, On favourable terms, with Immediate Possession. THIGHT HOUSES at Mountain View Peak District, near Plunkett's Gap.

If sold, part of the Purchase money can

Apply to JOHN A. JUPP, Secretary. The Austin Arms Hotel and Building Company, Ld. Hongkong, October 4, 1890

remain on Mortgage.

WASHING BOOKS. (In English and Chinese.) TYASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, can now be had at this Office. Price, \$1 each. CHINA MAR Office.

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

For Sale.

FOR SALE. CHEAP! TO CLEAR.

QUANTITY OF LADY'S WATER-PRUOFS of different qualties. from \$2.50 each upwards.

G. R. LAMMERT. Hongkong, March 13, 1891.

Shipping.

Steamers.

UNION LINE. FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

The Steamship Capt. A. Tyson, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 23rd Inst., at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to

RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, April 22, 1891, OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship

Captain Brown, will be despatched as above TO-For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, April 22, 1891. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUL The Co.'s Steamship

Haileong Haileong will be despatched for the above Ports TO MORROW, the 23rd Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

Hongkong, April 22, 1891. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAL (Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-

General Manageres

and Ports on the YANGTEZE.) The Co. s Steamship Telamon. Captain Jackson, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 25th Instant.

CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, April 20, 1891; MOGUL LINE OF STEAMERS.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. The Steamship Pathan
Osptain Roy, will be
despatched as above on

or about the 25th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, April 18, 1891. NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE

ITALIANA (FLORIO & RUBATTINO UNITED COMPANIES.) STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG & BOMBAY. Having connection with Company's Mail Steamers to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MESSINA, NAPLES, (LEGHORN) and GENOA; all MEDITERRANEAN. ADRIATIO, LEVANTINE and SOUTH AMERI-

CAN POETS, up to CALBAO! Taking Cargo at through rates to PERSIAN GULF and BAGDAD. The Co.'s Steamship Bormida,
O. GAVAZZO, Master, will
be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 6th May, at Noon. At Bomsay the Steamers are discharging in VICTORIA DOCK.

CARLOWITZ & Co., Hongkong, April 20, 1891.

For further Particulars regarding Freight

and Passage, apply to

will have quick despatch.

Sailing Vessels. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The 3/3 L.1.1. Amer. Barque BURNHAM, Master, will load here for the above Port, and

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 21, 1891.

Notices to Consignees.

UNION LINE. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES: FROM ANTWERP, HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Khio, Captain A. Tyson, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby a requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. The Steamer is berthed at Kowloon Piers and Cargo impeding her discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk

Consignees will be required to sign an Average Bond before taking delivery of All Claims against the Skame: must be presented to the Undersigned on or before

RUBSELL & Co.,

and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be the 30th Inst. or they will not be recognized.

Hongkong, April 20, 1891.

CONCERTS.

SERIES of CONCERTS, as below. d under the patropage of H.E. Major-General G. Diony BARKER, C.B., and Officers of the Garrison, will be held In Atu OF THE WIDOW AND 5 ORPHANS of the late BOMBARDIER ASHDOWN IS yol Artillery :-

TO-NIGHT, 22nd April, ARNY AND NAVY. CARRED IN THEATER. PROGRAMME:

Song, The Irish alaskers, Alesers Baduage and Paterson, H.M. S. Lounder, Recitation, 'The thursder and the Jew,' J. Walker, ti. M.S. Imperieuse. Song Comic (with dunimy), 'Off to the War, A. Cowan, H.M.S. Imperieuse. Soug. The Song that reached my heart, M. Elton, H.M.S. Lounder. Song. 'I beg pardon, 'Opl. Rylands, H.M.S. Victor Emanuel. Song, * Be kind to the leved ones at home,

Mr Barr. Song, 'Parody on 'Queen' of 'my heart, Pte. Patou, 1st A. & S. Highlanders. Negro Sketch, Mossra Sanders, and Westwood, H. M. S. Victor Emanuel.

10 MINUTES INTERVAL OVERTURE BAND Song 'Are ye gaun to gie us a chow,' Pte McOnie, let A. & S. Highlanders. Flute Solo : Mr Lowrie.

Song & Dance, Ptes. McLaren & M. Laughlan, 1st A. & S.H. Bong, 'I dreamt my little boy of thee,' Pte Walker, 1st A. & S. H. Song, 'The gold mounted dog house,' Pte. Fletcher, 1st A. & S.H. Song, 'I'm not his father,' J. Hall, H.M.S.

Sketch Comic, 'The Sergeants Stratagem,' - Pete Waxends, G. Menhinneck: Sam Soft Sawder, H. Simmons, Sergeant Rataplan, A. Vipond, Sophaniaba, Whilhelmina, Waggles, J. Paterson, H.M.S. Lounder.

"GOD SAVE THE QUEEN." Doors open at 8 p.m. To commence at 8.30.

TO-MORROW, 23rd April, LOCAL CONTRIBUTORS, CITY HALL. PROGRAMME: . PART I.

Song, 'Forbidden Music,' Gastaldon-Mr E. L. Hunter. Song, 'Life,' Blumenthal-Mrs Gordon. Song, 'Mary Morison,' Sullivan-Mr D.

Duet, 'A Night in Venice,' Lusantoni-Miss Lammert and Mr G. P. Lammert. Aria, 'Invocation à Vesta,' Gounod-(Po- Hon. J. J. KESWICK, Iyeute)—Miss Howard.

Song, 'Douglas Gordon,' Laurence Kellie-Mr Smythe, M. S. Song, 'Mother,' Tosti-Mrs Coxon. Trio, Two Violins and Piano-Mrs Gillies, Miss Pollard and Mr G. von Wille. Song, 'The Toilers,' Piccolomini-Mr C. H. Grace. Quartette, Mesers Lammort, Maitland, Smythe and Crow.

To conclude with OFFENHACH'S OPERETTA, 'THE BLIND BEGGARS. Zach Morgan H. H. Lightwood. Buffles..... Dr Eames, R. N. Mr N. RUCHWALDY'S 'PIZZICATO' PUPILS have kindly undertaken to play during the intervals.

FRIDAY, 24th April, ARMY AND NAVY, GARRISON THEATER, SATURDAY, 25th April ARMY AND NAVY, GARRISON THEATRE.

The CONCERT on SATURDAY, will be In Aid of the Widow of the late MUSKETRY INSTRUCTOR RYAN, Civil Police.

Prices of Admission: THURSDAY-Dress Circle and Stalls, 81 Back Seats, 50 Cents.

OTHER NICHTS-1st Seats, \$1; 2nd Army and Navy, HALF-PRICE on Thursday Tickets for Thursday Night can be ob | SOCIETE FERMIERE DE L'OPIUI tained at Messrs. Kelly & Walsh. For other Nights from the Garrison Sergean MAJOR or at the Door. Hongkong, April 22, 1891.



THE HONGKONG CHORA! SOCIETY will, (By Special Request), give a THIRD PERFORMANCE

BURNAND AND SULLIVAN'S COMIC OPERA THE CONTRABANDISTA,

THE LAW OF THE LADRONES. SATURDAY, 25th April, at 9 o'Clock p.m.

TRAM-CARS will Run at suitable hours rom and to the Peak.

Dress Circle and Stalls\$2.00. Back Seats, Stalls 1.00.

Tickets obtainable at Mesers. LANE, Chawford & Co.'s, on and after Thursday, 23rd April, at 10 a.m. Hongkong, April 21, 1891.

CITY HALL.

ORAND ASSAULT-AT-ARMS LORNE ATHLETIC CLUB. ARGYLL & SUTHERLAND HIGHLANDERS,

MONDAY, 27th April, Under the distinguished Patronage wind in the Treasmos of SER G. W. DES VŒUX, K.O.M.G., MAJ.-GENERAL G. DIGBY BAKER, C.B., Commencing at 9 p.m.

ADMISSION-Dress Circle and Stalls \$2 TUESDAY, 28th April,

Commencing at 4 p.m. Children, HALF-PRICE.

WEDNESDAY, 29th April, Commencing at 9 p.m. (when smoking will be permitted). ADMISSION-81 (No Reserved Seats). Soldiers and Sallors to all Performances. 25 Cents.

The BAND will be in attendance. Seats for Monday and Tuesday, can be booked at KELLY & WAISH'S. Hongkong, April 20, 1891. Hongkong, April 22, 1891.

Notices to Consignees.

FROM SOURABAYA, SAMARANG, BATAVIA AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Bantam, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Honoxone AND KOWLOON WHARP AND GODOWN Co., Lo., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained .--Cargo romaining undelivered after the

22nd instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 29th Instant, otherwise they will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, April 16, 1891.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. HE PARTNERSHIP between HOLMES & RODYK, Solicitors, is DISSOL. VED To-day by Mutual Consent.

HENRY J. HOLMES. ARTHUR R RODYK. Hongkong, April 14, 1891.

NOTICE. THE Undersigned will carry on BUSI-NESS at his OFFICE, No. 54, Queen's Road. · HENRY J. HOLMES.

14th April; 1891.-775

Intimations.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

SUBSORIBED CAPITAL,.....\$5,000,000 PAID-UP CAPITAL 2,500,000 RESERVE FUND,.....

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Victoria Buildings. Hongkong, 3rd May, 1889.

Seats, 50 Cents; 3rd Seats, 15 Cents. To-day's Advertisements.

AU TONKIN, SOCIÉTÉ ANONYME

AVIS AUX ACTIONNAIRES.

AM. Les Actionnaires sont informés que, conformément aux résolutions de l'assemblée générale ordinaire en date du 31 Mars 1891, les coupons de l'exercice 1890 seront payes: Aux guichats de la Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation à Hongkong, du 27 Avril au 7 Mai inclus : Au siègo social à Hanoi à dater du D

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Capt. VAN DE-VALE, will
be despatched as above on or about the 28th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, April 22, 1891.

FOR - SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG. (Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER-

DAM, LISBON, OPORTO, LONDON, LIVERPOOL and BREMEN.) Oceana,
Ospt. J. Behrens, will be despatched for the The Steamship

above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 29th Inst., at 10 s.m. For Freight or Pessage, apply to BREMBSEN & Co.,

To-day's Advertisements.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.

FOR SHANGHAL KOBE AND ТОКОПАМА.

The Co.'s Steamship De despatched for the above Ports TO DAY (WEDNESDAY) the 22nd Instant, at 10 p.m.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Hongkong, April 22, 1891. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM BHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK The Company's Steamer Captain P. H. Lorr, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 24th Inst.,

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN EAT HONG.

Hongkong, April 22, 1891.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATIO: COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SHANGHAI VIA SWATOW. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, TIENTSIN.

NEWCHWANG, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) Captain Sellar, will be despatched as above on The Co.'s Steamship FRIDAY, the 24th Instant, at 3 p.m." For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, April 22, 1891. STEAM TO STRAITS & BOMBAY. (Calling at COLOMBO if sufficient inducement offers.)

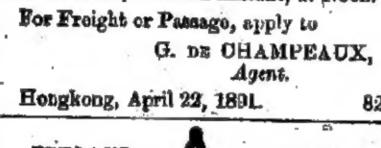
General Managers.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Captain W. L. BROUN. will leave for the above places on SATUR DAY, the 25th Instant, at Noon. E. L. WOUDIN. Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co. 's Office. Hongkong, April 22, 1891. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAUERIES MARITIMES.

FOR HAIPHONG (DIRECT.) (Taking Cargo for TOURANE & QUINHON.) The Co.'s Stramship Haiphong,

Captain Bousquer, will poa. on SUNDAY, the 26th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to



ZETLAND LODGE. No. 525. LODGE will be held in the FREE-MASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on

WEDNESDAY, the lot May, at 8.30. for 9 p.m. processly. Visiting Basicass are cordially INVITED. Hongkong, April 22, 1891. STEAMSHIP SYDNEY:

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London Activ, for Haiphong. and Havre ex Steamship. Tigre, Martia, for Kobe. and from Bordeaux ex Steamship Pt. Titan, for Singapore and London. Lallier, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods-with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables-are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consigneer before 2 p.m. To-DAY (Wednesday), the 22nd Inst., requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after THURS

DAT, the S0th Instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at one cent per packet per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me on o before Thursday, the 30th lustant, or they

will not be recognised. Damaged Packages will be examined on Thursday, the 30th Instant, at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, April 22, 1891.

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To-day's Advertisements.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS. SETTLEMENT OF SINGAPORE

In the Matter of THE COMPANIES ORDIN-In the Matter of THE JOHORE COFFEE COMPANY, LIMITED.

Knight, Chief Justice, in the above matter, Gordon. For Hiogo; from Merseilles, Mr dated the 13th day of April, 1891, on the Koïtaro Mayeda; from Singapore, Mrs Petition of THOMAS SHELFORD, a Con- Otake. For Yokohama : from Marseilles, tributary of the above-named Company. Mr Fujiyeda; Vicount Takanori Mori, Mr It was ordered that the said JOHORE COPPER Emil Stenzel, and Mr. E. B. Skottore; COMPANY, LIMITED, be WOUND-UP by from Alexandria, Mr Heldmann; from this Court, under the provisions of the Colombo, Mr K. C. MacIver ; from Singa-Companies Ordinance, 1889, Dated this loth day of April, 1801.

DREW & NAPIER, Solicitors for the said Petitioner.

CONSULAT DE FRANCE. CONTRACT FOR THE FRENCH SQUADRON.

TIENDERS are required for the SUP. PLY of COALS to the FRENCH MENor-Wan in this harbour during one year, to begin on the 15th May, 1891. Specifications and Forms of Tenders can be seen on application to the FRENCH CON-SULARS, between the hours of 10 s.m. to Noon and 2 to 4 p.m. daily.

Tenders to be sent under Sealed Covers on or before Saturday the 25th Inst. at 9 a.m., to the FRENCH CONSULATE. Hongkong, April 22, 1891.

> SHIPPING. ARRIVALS.

April 21, 1891 :--Thibet, British steamer, 1,665, W. L. For SING APORE,-Brown, Nagasaki April 16, General.-P. & O. S. N. Co.

April 22 : -Martha, German steamer, from Wham-Sydney, French atr., 2,133, Delacroix, Marseilles March 22, via Alexandria, Port

Said, Suez, Adeu, Colombo, Singapore and Saigon April 19, Mails and General, -Mrs-SAGERIES MARITIMES. Leander, British cruiser, from a cruise, Taicheong, German steamer, from Wham-

Vering, Norwegian barquentine, 302, O. P. Larsen, Kee Island March 17, Timber. -Siemesen & Co.

Store Nordiske, Danish telegraph steamer Regular MEETING of the above 596 Peterson, Port Money April 11, Ballast -G. N. T. & Co.

> DEPARTURKS April 22 :--Sin Nanzing, for Amoy. sunulciang, for Swatow. Avochie, for Saigon. Melbourne, for Europe. Fusher, for Whanipoa. Tritos, for Whampos.

Zafiro, for Amoy and Manila. CLEARED.

PASSENGERS.

ABRIVED Per Sydney, for Hongkong ; from Mar seilles, Mr G. Slade, Mr and Mrs Woodley, Mesers Van Tanner, Ling Tsen Fong, Tcheng Kin Ping, Li Ta Oheon, Lou Bion Meng, Yang Tae Cheng and Dewost ; from Singapore, Mr and Mrs Farago and servant. Mesara C. Delaval Cobban, Cowen and Ah Ghey ; from Saigon, Rev. Bouthier, Mr and Mrs Tram Cam Long, Mr Chan Kam, and 66. Ohinese, For Shanghai : from Marseilles, Mesers W. R. Eastlac, H. E. Bush, Maltby, Paul Brunat, Mgr. Bishop Hamer, Messrs John Calder, J. Appay, 1 Mission-ary, Messrs W. White, M. Nenumin and Gordon: For Hiogo : from Marseilles, Mr Koltaro Mayeda; from Singapore, Mrs Otake For Yokshama! from Marseilles, Mr Fujiyeda, Vicount Takanori Mori, Mr Emil Stensel, and Mr. E. S. Skottors; from Alexandria, Mr. Heldmann; from Colombo, Mr K. C. MacIver ; from Singapore, Messra J. F. Masson, Shibuya, and Miss Oyassa ; from Saigon, Mr Pietri.

DEPARTED. Per Melbourne, from Hongkong : for Saigon, 8 Chinese; for Singapore, Rev Lemonnier, Mesara M. A. dos Remedios D. J. Ribeiro, and Luczdon Remedics, and Chicasa; for Batavia, 2 Chinese; for Marsoilles, Mesars Auge, Riviere, Mr and Mrs Bouchet, Mr and Mrs F Schjoth, 4 children and amah, Mrs. ter, Rov G. M. H. Innocent, Dr Abernethy, 11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m. Meanrs D. McGlashan, Cavelan, Ottinetti, Sparfel, H. W. Chandler and L. E. Riolle. From Shanghai : for Saigon, Mr Augustin Giorgetti, Messrs Jules Lefevre, F. M. Rival, C. Catuel, Victor Auguille, Leon Robin, Lucien, Gaillard, Darand Leon Beautien, Yves Ollivier, Pierre , Salatin and Celectin Charregre; for Marseilles, Miss Jones and maid, Mrs d'Arnoux, Mrs H. A. Collins and infant, Mr J. Mascarello, Capt. Seiffert, Mr Leon Vachez, and Miss P. Vachez, Mr and Mrs W. Lay. Brom Yokohama for Saigon, Mr Degron for Marsoilles, Mr and Mrs Orsolle Van Parys, Mr. Stelio Petsaly, Miss Th. Leaueur, and Mr. Mitzuno Shibaga From Kobe : for Mar-

Orawford, Mesars Holt and Ridont. Per Sydney, from Hongkong : for Shang- should be registered,

NEW PREMISES, COLONIAL HOUSE. thai, Mr and Mrs J. D. Humphreys, Mr and Mrs J. J. Bell-Irving, Mr and Mrs E. F. da Silva, Earl of Galloway, Lady Isabel Stewart, Miss E. Tarry, Messre J. E. Humphreys, Abegg, R. Renton, H. Davis, C. H. Goro-Booth, Pustau, Dubuis, Ho Lee Kee, Chah Ho, Eduardo Louroiro, and 2 Coreans; for Kobe, Rov. Cotin; for Yokohama, Mr and Mrs Sasng Vismanos and 3 chilaren, Mr and Mrs W. Gelambi Mesars C. Ferry, Lederlin, A. Allanson and Rev. Caron. For Shanghai : from Marseilles, Messra W. R. Eastlac, H. E. Bush, Malthy, Paul Brunst, Mgr. Bishop Hamer DY an Order made by the Honorable | Messrs John Calder, J. Apply, 1 Mission-SIR EDWARD LOUGHLIN O'MALLEY, ary, Mossre W. White, M. Nenumin and pore, Mesers J. F. Masson, Shibuya, and Miss Oyasan ; from Saigon, Mr Pietri.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

For SWATOW & DELL -Per Taicheong, at 9.30 a.m., on Thursday, 23rd inst., instead of as previously

For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUL -Per Hailoong, at 11.30 a.m., on Thurs day, the 23rd inst. For KOBE .-Per Martha, at 3 p.m., on Thursday, the

For SWATOW & BANGKOK .-Per Devawongse, at 9.30 a.m., on Friday, the 24th inst.

For STRAITS & BOMBAY. Per Thibet, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday, the 24th inst. For SINGAPORE & MAURITIUS. Per Amigo, at 2.30 p.m., on Friday, the

24th inst., instead of as previously Per Oceana, at 9.30 a.m., on Wednesday, the 29th inst.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET,-The United States Mail Packet City of Peking will be despatched on SATUR-DAY, the 25th Instant, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows :--

0.15 P.M. Registry ceases. 0.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet, with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Portage, until the time of departure.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET .-The British Contract Packet Clyde will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 30th inst, with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and countries beyoud, vid Brandian; to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India, Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Maita, and

The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c. MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET .--The German Contract Packet Preussen will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 9th May, with Mails for the

United Kingdom, Europe and coun-tries beyond, vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malt. Registry ceases at \$.45 P.M. The Mail closes at 5 P.M. A Supplemen

ary Malt will close on Bunday, the 10th May, at 9 A.M. HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS. When the Packets leave at Moon. The following hours will be observed in

closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the Euglish and French Packets, when they leave at Noon. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 the day before. 8.00 A.M. -- Posting of Prices Current and Circulars ceases. (Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles, country

by country, with the addresses al

ODO WAY). 10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases. 10.30 A. H .- Posting of Newspapers. Books, and Patterns cesses 11.00 A.M. - Mail closes.

AS LATE LETTERS may be posted (from 11.10 A.M.) with 10 conts late fee up to 11.30 A.M., after which hour they may be sent on Board with the same Late drills.

Letters Parcels, &c., for Kowloon Champeaux, 2 children and amah, Rev. S. Point and ateamers in Harbour may be M. A. da Silva, Mr and Mrs Thomas Poul- posted in the General Post Office up to Latters from Kowloon Point may be posted in the Letter Box which has been placed in the Police Station Compound up to 12 and 4 o'clock.

Local rates will be charged.

To avoid robbery, senders of letters from Kowloon are requested to cancel their stamps by writing the word stamped across of the labour unions. Covers containing Bank Notes, Jewellery do should be registered. There will be no Sunday delivery.

PEAR DELIVERY, Letters, do., will be delivered by the 12 and 4 o'clock Trams seilles, Mr A. Breston. From Haiphong: only. Correspondence for the Feak may for Saigon, Messes Hoarest, Dennissant; be posted in the General Post Office up to for Marseilles, Mr de l'Enferna, Captain II. 30 a.m. or 8.80 p.m., or in the Letter on the 12th pito, visited the large ship building yard of Mr Howaldt, at Kiel, conducted by Lieute Kreischmar, who saids.

To Depart.

The Chinase Naval Instruction Commission, which at present is visiting Garmany, on the 12th pito, visited the large ship building yard of Mr Howaldt, at Kiel, conducted by Lieute Kreischmar, who saids.

Lifermation is being collected with Per Titan, from Shanghai : for London, Mrs Washbrook and child, Mrs Bull and child, Mrs Smith and child, Mrs Olsen and family, Captain Orawford, Means Holt and Distance of the word Stamped across them.

In the General Post Office only up to the Chinese language tolerably well with the evening the Chinese language tolerably well with the evening the Chinese language tolerably well will be charged. No Bunday delivery. Senders a graud supper in the house of the latter of Kiel, Mr Lorey. On the 13th pito, the word Stamped across them.

Orawford, Means Holt and Distance of the word Stamped across them.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Daylight. - Khia leaves for Japan. Daylight. - Titan leaves for London. Noon .- Hadony leaves for Swatow, &c.

Meetings. p.m .- Meeting of The Punjom & Sunghie Dus Samantan Mining Co. Ltd. at No. 9, Queen's Road Central. 9 p.m. Meeting of British Mercantile Marine Officers' Association.

Amusements. 9 p.m .- Performance at the City Hall,

General Memoranda.

FRIDAY, April 24 :-- Application for Shares of The Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Ltd., to be sent in to the H.K. & S'hai Bank. Dividend of 10/6 on Share of The Chipa Shippers Mutual S. N. Co., Ld., paid. 9 p.m. - Convocation of Victoria Chapter. 9 p.m. Performance at the Garrison Theatre.

ATURDAY, April 25 :--3.1) p.m.—Competition of the Hongkons Rifle Association. 4 p.m. -- Performance at the City Hall. MONDAY, April 27 :--

4 p.m .- Meeting of Campbell Moore & Co., Ltd., at Hongkong Hotel. 4 p.m .- Auction of Crown Land at Cross Lane (Wanchai Road). 9 p.m. - Assault at Arms at City Hall, Tuesday, April 28 :--

4 p.m. -Assault-at-Arms at City Hall. WEDNESDAY, April 29 :--9 p.m. - Meeting of Zetland Lodge. THURSDAY, April 30 :--

Goods per Steamer Sydney unclaimed after Noon subject to rent. Claims against the Khio must be sent in to Messrs Russell & Co., on or before this date.

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HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 1891 TELEGRAMS.

[Supplied to THE 'CHINA MAIL! (Via Southern Line.) MUTINOUS ARTILLERYMEN. LONDON, 20th April

fused to parade on the grounds of excessi

(From Singapore Papers.) THREATENED STRIKE IN AMERICA London, 11th April -- At Pittaburgh seventy thousand miners intend to strike on were told that they might reconsider the the 1st May in favour of the eight hours | whole question when next years estimates movement, and a bitter struggle is ex

THE LABOUR COMMISSION.

appointed in England includes the leaders

The Labour Commission which has been

A battery of Artillery at Portsmouth r

THE CHILIAN REVOLT. London, 13th April. The Chilian insur gente have captured Arica,

Commission went to Berlin, whence it will will stay in Germany about three mouths. | Colony.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

PASSED SURE CARAL. OUTWARD BOUND :- Yungping, March 3 Chingping, 10: Cambodia, Zansibar, 18: Barden Tower, 20: Thisbe 24: Maori King, Thames, Fusing, Astonover, 31; Glenorchy, April 3; Bellerophon, Den-beghshire, Polyhymnia, Tartar, Glamor-ganshire, 7; Monmouthshire, Palamed, Polyphemus, Bautry, Glengarry, 10; Saghalien, 14; Moray, 17; Benvenue, Hesperia, Laertes, Patroclus, 21.

HOMEWARD BOUND: - Galley of Lorne, Mar. 13 : Strathesk, 31 : Niobe, Bennal April 7; Gieneagles. Antonio Benlomond, 10 ; Conton, Asloun, 14 ; Jason, Mascotte, 17 Natal, Pembrokeshire, Rosetta, Keemun, 21

The O. & O. Co.'s s. s. Oceanic, with the AMERICAN MAIL of 2nd April, left Yokohama on Wodnesday, April 22, and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 28th April Canadian Pacific s. s. Batama, from Vancouver, left Yukohams for Hong-

kong via ports on April 18. The steamer Arratoon Apoar, with mails &c. from Calcutta, left Singapore on the 17th April, and may be expected here on or about the 22nd April, The D. D. R. s. s. Frigge, left Singapore ou April 17, and may be expected here on or about April 23. The U. S. S. Co. s steamer Telamon from

Liverpool, left Singapore on April 17, and may be expected here on or about The s. s. Pathan left Singapore on April 18th, and may be expected here on or about April 24th.

The P. and O. Co.'s steamer Shanghas left Singapora on April 18th, at noon, and may be expected here on or about The China Shippers Mutual S. N. Co.'s s. s. Canfa, from London and Liver-

pool, left Singapore on 19th April, and may be expected here on or about the 26th April The N. G. L. s. Bormida left Singspore on April 20, and may be expected here on or about April 27.

The P. & O. a. s. Nizam left Singapore on

the 20th April, and may be expected

here on or about the 27th April. THE delivery of the French Mail was begun at 12.10 p.m.

For the convenience of Peak residents who propose to attend the Amateur Concert at the Theatre Royal to-morrow evening, a special car will be run from the Peak at 8.45, returning at 11.45 p.m.

L'Independance Tonkinoise is alive again,

termined to make it a popular organ. He

has enlarged the paper, reduced the price and intends to issue it three times a week. We wish him all success. Tan Band of the 1st A. and S. Highlanders

will play the following programme at the FOR COAST PORTS, Waters are packed Officers Mess to-morrow evening, com-March ... Le Pere la Victoire Ganne. Vales ... Au Revoir Selection La Mascotte

Serenade Quand tu Chantes Gounod.

Selection ' The Grand Duchess' Offenbach A widow named Wong Young was brought before Mr Wiss to-day at the Police Court, on a charge of having, on 20th December, 1883, feloniously and with intent to defraud, uttered a certain will purporting to be the will and to have the signature of one Chai Tsung, 'then well knowing the said will to be forged. Mr Rodyk appeared on behalf of the complainant, Chai Kiu Chi,

Some eight or ten days ago the unofficial

and withdrew the charge.

members of Council wrote the Governor, requesting him to talegraph the Secretary of State to withhold his sanction to the increase of official salaries until he was in possession of a memorandum on the posttion and prospects of the Colony which the unoficial members were drafting. After waiting for a week without receiving a reply, the unofficials again wrote the Governor asking him if he had received their letter and if it was his intention to telegraph the Secretary of State as they requested, and telling him that if he did not telegraph they would do so themselves. To this second letter a reply was received yesterday, stating that the Governor had not telegraphed, and that he had no intention of telegraphing. In this reply the Governor-or rather the Acting Colonial Secretary on his bobalf -Informed the unofficial members that according to information received recently it might be inferred that a despatch on the estimates would errive by the next English mail and that this despatch would sanction the increase of salaries with the reservation of a few points of detail. The unofficial members were advised to abandon their position because it would be a breach of faith to withhold the advance this year, and they were presented. We believe the unofficials resent the treatment they have received at the hands of the Governor and are preparing a message to be sent direct to the Becretary of State. Mr. William Keswick, the Vice President of the China Association, is also being communicated with; and the Governor and ble benchmen, Mr Deane, may discover that they are not absolute masters of the place. Meanting Governor Des Voent is stolving another Luformation is being collected with regard to the vaine of land, the amount of deposits in European and Chinese banks and a hundred and oue other things which Covers containing Bank Notes, &c. | visit Hamburg, &c. | the Commissioners may throw light on the condition of the

A STATE OF THE PARTY OF THE PAR Ma E. W. Mailland, Hou, Tressurer of the Alice Memorial Hospital, begge to acknowledge with thenke the fullowing donations to the funds of the Hospital :-Meaura Jardine, Matheson and Co. 8100 Dorabies Nowrojco, Erg.

Means K. N. Melits and Co. ... Meants Tataland Co Mesers H. M. M. Ally and Co. Measts N. Mody and Co. Mesara E. Pabaney and Co. Mesers H. Ralimtoolabhoy and Co. ... W. J. Bannders, Esq. J. Pestonico, Esq. Rov. W. V. Rainfor, R. N.

A CEYLOR paper writes :- Sir John Dickson, Colonial Secretary for the Straits in likely to leave Singapore towards the autumn on furlough, and it is not expected that he will return. Perhaps he is going put in his claim to a list stop on the gubernatorial ladder, and with Lady Dickson's influence he ought not to find it dir ficult to get abreast of his old friend, Bir Walter Sendall. Query Hongkong.

THE Landon and China Repress writes :-

The grasping and unjust pature of the demand for military contribution must ten to disgust all Orown Colunies, and have a serious effect on the Federation of the Soll Governing, which will fear to approach a naternal Home Administration and give a change to the Treasury to have a hand at their purpostrings. We would suggest that some independent members of Patliament should form a committee to inquire into the cause of complaint, and there can be but the fligrant wrong put right. The Crown. allegiance and good feeling of the inhabit. of the one part, and Mr W. G. Howell, on anta. These 'heroics' are from an outside | behalf of the company, of the other part, course. High authorities, blease note.

Bartley called attention to the pension of | wick-gardens, Kensington; F. Langley, £1:000 granted to Sir J. P. Hennessy on Wolsey-terrace, Mildmay-park, N. Governor received his pension of £1,000 determined in general meeting. through ill-health, and whether this certificate was to be renewed every year. He had seen ex-Colonial Governors going about in a most enviable state of health, who were living on pensions that were granted because of ill-health some ten or twelve years ago. Mr T. H. Bolton asked for information about the system upon which the superannuations were granted, as he noticed that, whilst Sir J. P. Hennessy was in receipt of £1,000 a year, after a service of twenty years, and a calary of £5:000 Bir Hercules Rubinson, whose salary had been £7.00 t and who had a record of 35 years, was only receiving the same amount of pension. European Mull; March 20.

In the sitting of the Chamber of Deputies

on the 19th March, M. Montfort questioned

the Government as to the situation in Tong-King, and strongly consured the aubstituton of a civil for a military administration in that colony. They had gone to Tong-King, and must now remain there ! but they were threatened with a great miniortune—the necessity of again despatching a large force. to the Far East. Three years ago the colony was quiet, now the very reverse was the case. This change in the situation, was to be attributed to the removal of so many troops from Tong-King. The step had been opinion. M. de Monifort went on to say that at Cho-Bo the Mulitia deserted to the enemy. The colony was in a state of anarchy, and the Government was to bisme for having kept the truth from the country. He wanted to know what stops the Ministry intened to take. M. Etienne, Under Secretary of State, admitted that acts of piracy had been increasing in Tong-King, but declared that the battalion of soldiers sent from Cochin China had sufficed reators a normal state of things. At present the situation was not in any way worse, but was, on the contrary, improving. The Government, while appealing as little as possible to the devotion of the troops would continue its work of pacifying the country by obtaining the submission of the pirate bands. This appoundement evoked eers from the Reactionsries, who interrupted the speaker repeatedly, and their dissatisfaction increased when M. Etiepu declared that the Cabinet had no idea modifying the position of the civil Go vernor-General who was at the head of the colony. This did not imply that the Governor General directed the military operations; but, as a matter of fact, no expedition was undertaken without his consent. cheers aross from the Republican benches when M. Etienne resumed h

THE report of the Deutsche Dampfschiff Rhederei at Hamburg (Kingsin line) for the year 1890 is a very bad one. The total profit of all voyages amounts to m. 270,454 against m. 1,001,422 in 1889, and afte deduction of all costs a net profit of m, 121,304 remains, against m. 869,373 in 1889 Of that profit m. 120,299 ars written off th fleet of the company, against m. 425, 208 the previous year, and the shareholders go no dividend, while in 1889 10 per cent. m. 325,000, was distributed. The less favourable result is stated to be a couse quence of the very low freight rates from STREET, ALL THE SHOP SHOP SHOP manufacture of the state of the

Ma Beaufoy saked the Under-Secretary of | Srs J. F. Stephen, K.C.S.I., who has just State for Foreign Affairs on the 19th retired at the comparatively early age for a March, whether he had received any infor- judge of 62 years, is thus noticed in mation as to the murder of Mr and Mrs | Hazell's Appual - Son of the late Rt. Kooble in Tong-King in January last; and, Sir James Stephon, was b. 29; Called to if so, whether any steps had been taken to the bar ('54) Q.O. ('88). For about two bring their murderers to justice. Sir J. yours and a half (71-72) he was legal mem-Forgusson : No information has been ber of the Council of the Governor-General received by Hor Majoriy's Government of India and by his codification of the further reduced water supply? For three beyond a statment in the French Journal eriminal law of that country conferred last- days no water was turned on to my house. Officiel of March 16, but Her Mejesty's ing advantage upon its inhabitants. He and this morning there was a dribble for Ambasador has been instructed to ask the was Professor of Common Law to the Inns only half an hour. Acc rding to the French Government whether they can of Court ('75-'79). Appointed a judge last notice the water was to be turned urpish any delails.

In the House of Commons on the 17th March Mr Pickerspill moved for the appointment of a Select Committee to inquire into the growing prevalence of betting and vanibling, and to consider whether any, and what amendments should be made in the staintes on the subject. - The motion was seconded by Mr Morton, and supported by Mr S. Smith, while Mr M. Stewart gembling clubs. If a Select Committee the Judge, 3 years his junior, were appointed its range would be infinite, and he failed to see what good it could do. The defeate in the law wore not of a serious character, and the law did not fail to reach the serious abuse of gambing in card-playing or betting. On a division the motion was pogatived by 70 against 47.5

little doubt that justice will be done, and The Chung-King Transport Company (Limited) has been registered by Messrs Colonies have, hitherto, ocen loyal to a Harwood and Stephenson, 31, Lombardman, but a few blunderings and plunder. Street, E.C., with a capital of £40,000 in ings, such as have been made of late years | £20 shares. The object is to carry into by the Colonial and other Government effect an agreement expressed to be made offices cannot but tend to shake the between Mr A. J. Little. of Ichang. China, and to carry on the business of general carriers by land and sea. The first subscribers On the Supplementary Vote of £3,915, for | are :- A. N. Brewer, 34, Nicholas-lane, superannuation and retiring allowances, Mr Lombard-street; H. Chapman, 74; Warhis retirement from the Governor-ship of E. Shoars, 12, Telford-road, North Kenthe Mauritius, owing to ill-health. He sington : H. G. Stephenson, 31, Lombardwished to know why, unlike Sir J. P. street, E.C.; G. Haines, Iffley Lodge, Ox-Hennessy, an ex-Civil Servant, retiring on ford-road. Putney, and A. R. Warren. a pension, was departed from sitting in | White House, Muswell-hill, each of whom that House. Mr Labouchere desired to takes one stare. There shall not be less know if the Government would inform the | than two nor more than five directors ; the Committee what the pensions to ex-Gover- first are to be appointed by the subscribers nors of Colonics amounted to what was to the memorandum of association. Quali the kind of certificate obtained before a fication, ten shares. Remuneration to be

> THE best way of enjoying a trip to Paris, says the St. James's, without unbecessary exponse, is to go as a Russian, and let it . Mr Sangster, Official Assignee, said be generally known, by giving mysterious hints-which, being imparted in confidence, will be in all the newspapers-that you day are entrusted with a secret mission from the Czar. Hotel-keepers are obsequious, ladies of fashion and intellect open their salons, and the Parisian public as a body is enthusiastic. Then comes a despatch from St. Petersburg, and you leave by the next train without paying the hotel bill. A real Cossack, the celebrated Hetman Atchineff, has been playing this little game, as far as the secret mission is concerned, with singular success. He managed to persuade the leaders of the anti-German party that he was employed by the Czar to promote a Franco-Russian alliance, and at once found himself both famous and popular. Madame Adam gave a reception in his honour, and he was lionised everywhere. It was a game, however, which could be played too long; and Atchinoff has now vanished, leaving behind him only inpaid bills and a letter to his distingunished, but not always discriminating, hostess. The next Cossack who presents himself in Paris will probably find himself as much and by the Official Assignee. disliked as the Cossacks were in 1815.

Monaco, a principality situated in one of her departments—the Maritime Alps, power she is concluded to protect. The fact is that Monaco is one of the most absolute monarchies in the world, though having only an area of eight square miles and a standing army of 140 men. It is as ndependent as the miniature republic of San Marino-four times its alze-which is protected by Italy. By treaties of February 1861 and November 1865, be- fendant from applying to be adjudicated tween France and Monaco, the latter's He had been adjudicated and the Official autonomy is guaranteed, and its legislative. | Assignce had certain duties to perform. administrative, and financial organization | Strictly speaking the plaintiff could not go integrally recognised as being independent. Although the gaming tables were established in 1850; it was only in 1860; when be a party in the case. His Lordship in Blanc, expelled from Homburg, farmed them that the place became famous and infamous. His concession was constituted into a company with a capital of 15 million france which pays a dividend of 20 to 32 per cent. The shareholders profess to be godly men and women. The population of 8.000 could rote down the iniquity to-morrow; but they are quieted by the fact that texation is abolished in the principality: the gaming tables supply the required re- the matter. vanue. In 1870, a revolution was on the point of breaking out; had it succeeded. monarchy would have been abolished, simultaneously with the gambling institution. All the great powers recognise tiny Monaco, but none dare interfere with her peculiar domestic institution.

the Far East. The bad result of the Japan To yachtsmen who may have been sailing rice crop and the smaller rice export caused | past the Arsenal the other day, writes the a number of other Hamburg and Bremen N.-C. Daily News, the night of a locomoshipowners to have their steamers calling tive flying along the river side on the railat Singspore for cargo to Europe, thereby | way leading from the Gun factory to the pressing heavily on the rates. Further it proof-mound, and the sound of its shrill is mentioned that outgoing and coast rates | whistle, must have awakened many pleashave lowered considerably during the past | ant reminiscences as well as hopeful anticipayear. The high prices of one and provi- tions. That a real and serviceable locomo- lengthened by several fact. Originally the ed to lessen the profit. The newly estab. workmon under Foreign superintendence, lished Sunds line is not considered in the and that its preliminary trial proved most present report, the traffic only having begun | satisfactory, are facts which to say the in January, 1891. The twelve large sea least of them are highly encouraging, ancher chain which the defendant had too many want the front room. Scranton going steamers of the line are in the best. The ruthless tearing up of the Shanghaicondition, and no repairs are necessary in | Woosung Railway by orders of the 1891. It may be mentioned that the direc. Imperial Government, and the removal tors have signed a contract for transporting of the whole plant out of the way to Forthe German Imperial Post by the steamers moss, are grievances that are still fresh in of the Sunda line, thus being favoured by the memory of many a Shanghai resident. | gave evidence in support of Mr Hastings' speedy despatch in the Eastern harbours as It is gratifying to find that there are now statement. He said he had lost thousands well as by different advantages in passing progressive native officials in our midst the Suer Canal. . It is udded that the new who so far from being afraid of the ' iron Year promises well for the Kingsin Line, road and the iron horse or the disasthe export of rice from Japan having begon trous consequence to the Fang-abut bave again in consequence of a plantiful crop. setually laid down a short railway and con-The directors therefore have been stile to structed a powerful locomotive to run upon sign transport contracts for a topger time it. It would be a graceful sof on the part at profitable rates. The themsholders will of the Taotai to invite the residents of Hope you will be able to keep the wolf hear with regret that the hitherto manag- Shanghai to a formal trial trip on the banks from the door. Second Broker-I'm ofsolved to resign his office from Dec. 31 last gursts this sweeping innovation upon the street now.
in consequence of more work in his private pasts conservation of this locality. We Niksry nine men out of every hundred business; Herr Puttfarcken, who is well understand that Mr. T. Bout, M. I. M. E. believe in their hearts that a day of judgacquainted with the allustion of the line is the designer of the engine which is to be ment will come, and ninety-eight of themand its recentities, is willing to join the used for drawing heavy guns and other secretly beneve that somehow they will be bound of dimensional has in relieved from the weighty appliances within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the property and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the Arsenal and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the property and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the property and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the property and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the property and granicolted in the jam -- Millorance within the j to and from the trial range.

(79). Mr Justice Stephen is a high authori ty on criminal law. He is the author of land." Digest of the Law of England,

Digest of the Criminal Law, and other say so, and then we should know what to legal works, as we I as ' Liberty, Fquality, do and make arrangements accordingly,-Fraternity, and Essays by a Barrister. Yours. Mr Justice Stephen's attempts to secure the codification of our criminal law have not yet met with success, although the project has from time to time been under conaideration. He presided at the trial of the expressed the opinion that the existing law action for alleged libel brought by Mr was strong enough to deal with the evil if O'Brien, M.P. against Lord Salisbury at were only vigorously enforced. Mr | the Manchester assizes '89, and subacquent. Matthews observed that he beard daily of ly at the trial of Mrs Maybrick for the transactions on the Stock Exchange as murder of her husband at Liverpool.'-Mr dangerous and pernicious as any in the Leslie Stephen we may add is a brother of

SUPREME COURT. IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. (Before Mr E. J. Ackroyd, Acting Puine Judge. Wednesday, April 21.

O'KEEFE v. CHOI NG-CHOI NG v. O'REEFE. D. D. O'Keefe sued Choi Ng. master an engineering shop, for damages for breach of contract and for is completed I intend to stop driving this in contact with a large box; everybody the value of an anchor chain which the defendant failed to return. By a cross summons the defendant sued the plaintiff for the 2381 for work done and materials supplied. Mr Hastings (of Messrs Wotton & Deacon's office) appeared for the plain-

Mr Hastings said when the case was last before the Court Mr Dennys appeared for Choi Ng and got an adjournment on the understanding that he was to bring a witness from Canton. Choi Ng had taken advantage of the interval to go into bankruptoy. He (Mr Hastings) did not think for a moment that Mr Dennys knew of this. He submitted, however, that the plaintiff was entitled to proceed and get judgment. His Lordship said he had been informed by Mr Sangster as Official Assignee that he: had certain rights, and these having been

brought to his Lordship's knowledge he could not go on with the case, . Mr Hastings said Capt. O'Keefe was leaving to-morrow and it would be very inequitable if any further delay were grant-

hardly knew the nature of the claim and it would be impossible for him to go on to-

His Lordship said all he could do present was to take the evidence of Capt. (l'Knofe de bene esse. Mr Hastings said the plaintiff had already offered to settle the matter on the terms that both suits should be withdrawn.

His Lordship said he would adjourn the case till 2, p.m. in order to give Mr Hastings an opportunity of seeing Mr Dennya with a view to a settlement.

In the afternoon the case was resumed,

Mr Hastings appearing for Capt, O'Keefe and Mr Dennya for Choi Ng. Mr Hastings said nothing further had boen done in the case so far as he knew. His Lordship said he could not proceed with the case at present, but he had no objection to taking the evidence of the plaintiff de bene esse. Mr Hastings-Is there any objection to

proceeding with the case? I understand Road and Pump Shaft. that Mr Dennys is instructed by Choi Ng -Mr Donnys said he represented the Offi-

cial Assignee in the case, but he was not Parisians by going to bed in his jack-boots instructed by him because he was not able from the Raub Hole. This I expect to to give instructions; he did not know yet whether this suit ought to be contested on hehalf of the estate. The Official Assignes THE question is being asked, why France had no objection to evidence being taken having set out on the war-path against de bene esse if the plaintiff wished to go gambling, does not apply the muck-rake to away, but until he had seen the creditors to walk. This kongsee will come in for the he could not really give any instructions as to contesting the case. Mr Hastings said it was rather hard that

they should be projudiced in their case. Ohoi Ng had chosen to deceive the Court' by going into bankrup cy at the last mo-

His Lordship said another person had Court, and he could not prevent the deon at all because the person he was sving order to facilitate matters had no objection | to hear Mr Hastings de bene es e.

Mr Dennys said he thought the plaintiff ought to give scourity if he was going away immediately as he did not think it could be contended for a moment that he was not indebted to the defendant in the amount claimed in the cross summons. His Lordship said if a separate applica-

Mr Hactings-The plaintiff is very anxious to go and he would like to know what time the case would be proceeded

His Lordship-The Official Assignee tells ne he has not had time to see the creditors. Mr Hastings le he to be kept here indefinitely?

do anything until he has had an opportunity stove wood. - Ram's Horn. of consulting the creditors. Mr Hastings then proceeded to state the case for the plaintiff. He said the claim was under a contract entered into by the fendant for doing certain work to the plaintiff's schooner Jennie. The schooner was to be hauled up, cut in two and claim was for 47 days' overtime, but it had things, but the ability to make a fool of how been reduced to 30 days, the plaintiff himself is never outgrown. failed to return and \$50 for a windless Truth which the defendant contracted to put in but did not do so, The whole claim was

reduced to 8730. David Deane O'Keefe, the plaintiff, then his brainess at the Caroline Islands. The case was adjourned till to-morrow.

Brast Buoxua - Hard times, aren't they !

CORRESPONDENCE.

WATER. To the Editor of the CHINA MAIL. Hongkong, 22nd April, 1891.

SIR. -Can you inform me if any new regulations have been issued regarding a on from 6 a.m. to 10 a.m. daily, but owing to some mismanagement these instructions General view of the Criminal Law of Eng- are not carried out. If we are not to get any water at all why do not the nuthorities WYNDHAM STREET

RAUB. MINING MANAGER'S REPORT FOR FORTSIG ENDING 2ND APRIL 1891. To the Directors of the Raub Australian Syndicate, Limited, Singapore.

the following as the progress made with the bably landed somewhere near the Race various works at the mine. Raub Hole .- The North Main Level bas

from Engine shaft.

Gentlemen .- I have the honour to report

The South Main Level has been extended off her cloak and attached herself to

Western Lode. being got.

The South End from tunnel is now in 69 place of secent.

thick, it is very much broken and inter- drove off to the Royal Hotel. mixed with mullock in places and prospects very irregularly. I estimate it to visid about one ounce per ton of ore. I have NEWSBY THE FRENCH MAIL not yet broken through to shaft sunk from aurface but expect to do so to-morrow. The bottom-of this shaft is about 6 feet to Bast of level. Battery. - The Battery has been working

steadily night and day during the fortnight. I intend to have a rough cleaning up at the end of present week. Buildings .- These are making slow progress as the carpenters are being taken

away from them to do the necessary work for the mine. New Engine Shaft for Western Lode -A contract has been let to two parties of Chinese to saw 2.000 pieces of 8' 3" hardwood timber for the new Engine Shaft I propose

sinking on Western Lode.
This shaft is intended to test this Lode to a depth of several hundred feet. I propose to sink the Shaft 10'7" clear of timber and to divide it into two winding compartments 7' 4" and the remainder into Ladder

about 300 yards long across the swains from road is being blockaded by the mullock finish in a few days.

The coolies on the road to Bunger Argos have been employed putting up new quarters at Sungei Comon, about It miles from Raub, as it is now getting too far for them coolies when testing the old working at Stope which I propose to do later en. Prospecting .- I am taking advantage of

the long period of dry weather to test the old working at Sunger Argos. I have two Europeans and twelve coolies employed at this work. I expect to get to the bottom of the old workings in a few days, Sungei come into the case now, an official of the Argos and Stope are the two places where it is said very rich gold bearing stone is to be got. I hope to test both of them within the next three months.

Boats.—The boats have not been able to come no the Bilut during the past forts night, owing to the present low state of the was bankrupt. The Official Assignes must water, but as it is now raining I expect them in a few days. The health of the camp is good, there being no sickness at the present time. I have the honour to be, Gentlemen, Your obedient Servant,

WM. BIBRY, Mining Manager.

TREEGRAM PROM RAUB. Kwala Kubu, 11th April. - Rough cleaning up of Battery yielded 910 oz. Amalgam, tion was made to him he would consider probable yield 100 oz of gold. Estimated quantity of stone crushed for above 400 Tons Still crushing ...

> THE devil don't want to break up church. What he wants is to run it .-Ram's Horn. It is not a good time to read the Bible

Mr Dennys-The Official Assignee can't while your wife is out in the rain outting It is easy to gain a great reputation for truthfulness by always speaking ill of your-

self. Indianapolis Journal. THE man who can keep a secret may have a high opinion of his own ability, but no woman likes him - Somerville Journal A MAN gots too old for a great many

having deducted 17 days for the China New THERE is room for everybody in this big Year holidays. He also claimed \$80 for an world. Friction comes from the fact that

Tan man who dyes his whiskers couldn't

find any easier way of telling people more

about himself without going to a great deal more expense. - Ram's Horn. of dollars by the delay in getting the ship is a pauper, one in every thirteen is illi- five. He advises a gradual increase in the ing the islanders that Great Britain should Acajutla, Scates Silks; for La Libertad, delay as she might have been employed in terate, and one in every sixty is a gin- area of cultivated land and in produce on subsidise the Newfoundland dishermen by passes Silks; for Ponta Arenas, I case Silks;

> Madagascar and the coast of India there are 16,000 islands 600 of which are inha-

THE bell-bird, in the forest of British ing director, Mr. O. Puttlarcken, has re of the Whangpoo, and thus publicly insu- read not. We can't keep the bear from the Guiana, tolla out its selectes now on their way to England are London, March 25. The Law Courts have Per S. S. Malieu, sailed 18th April :pens. The bell-bird is white and about the the bearers of a strong protest from the been invoked by the defendants in the For London, 130 bkts. Shells from Manile, Shoes | Yes, madam, said the brisk bitration Bill.

What number, please I Two, of course !

PARACHUTE ACCIDENT. MISS VAN TASSEL MEARLY KELLED.

Miss Van Tassek the intropid acronaut, made another balloun ascent and parachute descent on the 18th alt. in Mysore. The secont was made, says the Bangalore Spectaor, from within the Pleasure Palace walls, in the presence of Ris Highpeas th Maharajah and his family and the Court Officials. - Among the Auropean ladies and entlemen present were the British Rem dent. Col. Sir Oliver St. John, Major Marin, Lady Davy, Mrs Mauldin, Mr and Mrs Weir, and Mrs Benson, and several others. As the general public were not admitted within the Palace enclusure the whole affair must be considered a private entertain ment, the expenses of which were borne by His Highness. Notwithstanding the fact that no public notice had been given, large, crowds of natives of all classes and sects began at four o'clock to congregate outside the lance walls, and it is said that by 6.30 p.m. fully 10,000 persons bad assembled to witness the lady's wonderfu performance. The weather was fine and considerably cooller than it was a week ago.

The wind was N.E., and had the accident

not occurred the aeronant would have pro-

Shortly before six o'clock the process of been extended 8 foot in hard crystallized inflating the ballon began, and by 6 30, the alata. No fresh gold nearing leaders have huge balloon, which appeared much the been out; this level is how in 265 feet worse for wear, was ready. Miss Van Tessel now appeared on the scane. The A fair amount of crushing stuft fine been lady is somewhat short in stature, but well got from the stopes and drives in this part | built and of very pleasing manner. Everything being ready, the fair ballooniat cast 40 feet in hard slate which requires blast- balloon. On the command 'let go' by Proing, good progress has been made with this feesor Van Tassel, who superintended the drive, we have still 90 feet to drive to break operations the huge mouster that up into through into No. 1 shaft. When this work | the air; but not before the lady had come level South and to crossout west to cut the looked anxiously while the balloon ascended. When at a height of about one I have not yet cut any gold bearing hundred yards, it turst in two, leteaders in this part of the mine, but am in ting forth a dense black cloud; the excitehope of doing so shortly, as there is said to ment was now intense; the professor and be rich old Malay workings a short dis- his assistants shouting to the little seronant tance to the South of our present fall of to let go. This she did. The parachute drive. This drive is now 418 feet from soted instantly, but as the lady was only a Engine shaft, 323 feet of which is through short distance from the ground, she desground in which no gold has yet been conded more rapidly than would have been found. Most of the water of the mine is the case had she reached the usual beight coming from this level. A little stoping of 3,000 feet. In the descent Miss Van and driving is being done near engine shaft | Tassel narrowly excepted the corner of the in which some very good gold bearing ore | building in which Her Highness and family and ladies of the Court viewed the scene. Western Lode .- The Main Level in tunnel | She landed on a path in front of Her has now been driven a distance of 117 feet. Highness at about 150 yards from the feet. The last 15 feet of the lode has been The Maharajah and Doctor Bouson were

very much broken and small and will not the first at the ladg's assistance, but she average more than one foot in thickness; had sustained no serious injuries except this prospects from 10 to 15 dwts, per ton that she appeared lame in her left leg. She was jully enough when conversing with North End-This is now 48 feet from His Highness, who placed one of his cartunnel. The Lode is from 5 to 8 feet riages at her disposal, in which she at once

THE ATTACK BY STRIKERS ON COREWORKS

New York, April 3 .- Telegrams from | secs. Oxford were strong favorites. Pennsylvania state that a band of strikers chiefly composed of Hungarians and Slavs; intention of the strikers, had filled the works with a large force of police; and when the attack was made the latter fired upon the rioters, killing nine and wounding forty. Owing to the serious nature of have been ordered to Morewood. AN ANTI-PARRELLITE ELECTED FOR SLIGO.

London, April 4. Mr Collery, the anti-Parnellite candidate, has been returned for Sligo by a large majority RISING OF BRITISH INDIANS AGAINST THE

PRENCH IN THE COMORO INLANDS. London, April 5. - News from the Comoro Islands states that the British Indian settlers there have tisen in ravolt against I French authority. Several engagements should be held before the Bank of England have taken place between the natives and the French forces, in which the former suffered heavy loss. The Comoro islands are situated to the North of Madagascar, between that island and the mainland of Africa.

THE PAN-AMERICAN MONBTARY CONVENTION. Commission would shortly meet with the object of bringing about the establishment of a uniform monetary system among the whole of the nations of America.

THE AUSTRALIAN PEDERATION. London, April 4.—The English press comment upon the republican title which it is proposed to give the Australian mosity against him, caused by his unspercolonies when federated t but otherwise are favourable to the bill drafted by the Sydney Convention. resolved to establish a Supreme Federal

Court of Appeal. THE PEOPOSES GENERAL STRIKE, to empower the Council-General of the fragments and luturing his left eye. Labour Party to postpone a general Mr Healy's cheek was also severely cut. strike unless a revision of the dobate The affair has created great excitement in Chamber of Representatives. The budget tern Hundreds concurrently with Mr Parproviding funds for mill hands on strike is nell, in pursuance of the terms of the the only expenditure that has been voted latter's challenge, has helped to intensify by the Workmen's Congress.

MR JUSTICS STRPHEN'S RETIREMENT. London. April 6th.-The St. James' Gazette annonness that Mr. Justice Stephen retires from the Bench on account of ill London, April 7th. - The announcement of Mr Justice Stephen's retirement from the bench is confirmed.

Lords in succession to Lord Granville. SIR J. CATED ON FOOD ESODUCTION AND CULTIVATION IN INDIA.

THE NEW LIBERAL LEADER IN THE HOUSE.

London, April 7 .- The Times this morning publishes a long letter from the pan of Company denied that the ship was in any bags Rice, 371 bags Beans, 309 bags. Balt-Sir J. Caird, in which the writer says that way engaged in the work of amuggling petre and 1,693 page. Merchandise for the first duty of Indian atsteamen is to gradually secure an increase of the food advises the imposition of a tax of ten frames Bears, 7,272 bags Sugar, 1,835 boxes Nut production of the country in proportion to open all ships entering the ports of France Oll, 85 boxes Prepared Onium, 12 cases. the growth of population. To accomplish or of the French colonies. this the system of agriculture must be oun-In London one woman in every twenty | verted from the exhaustive to the restoral the Times, suggests as a means of propitiat. Ten and 4.088 pkgs. Merchandise r for land now under cultivation. In conclusion allowing them bounties equivalent to those for Panama, 200 bags Rice, 5 pkgs, Mer. It is said that between the Island of he orges those in authority to facilitate the granted by the French Government to the chandise for Callac, 3 cases Silks and I conversion of land held on leasehold tours French lobster fishers. The Times com- case Merchandise; for Boston, 1 pkgs. into free holdings. A PROVEST PRODUCTED REWFOODSDLARS

Loadon, April 8 .- The Newfoundland France failing

Newfoundland Parliament against the Ar. baccarat scandal case brought by Colonel 245 boxes Tea, containing 5.145 the Conclerk, in answer to a quatomer's inquiry. The extension of the natural manager which have alleged that the Silk, 11 boxes Silks and 29 page. Sundries TO THE TEARSVALL

Transvani Republic was formally declared censured, and ordered to pay the costs of open yesterday by Governor Mitchell Paul Kruger, President of the Republic, was present, and the curemony was made the occasion of great rejuicings.

SUBPECTED ATTEMPT TO ASSABSINATE London, April 8th .- The Daily Telegraph ublishes a telegram from St Petersburg. stating that on Monday last, during the review of the Imperial Guard, the Police previous to the arrival of the Czir, arrested a manamongst the spectators who, on being sourched, was found carrying a loaded revolver, while some deadly poison was also found on his person.

RESULT OF THE CITY AND SUBURBAN. London, April 8.—The following is the esult of the race for the City and Suburban bandicap, run at Epsom to-day :--Nunthorpo

Bullion THE COLONISATION OF MASHONALAND. Cape Toten, April 8 .- A party of settlers. numbering 200, have left here for Beira, and intend ascending the Pungwe river for Mashovaland.

London, April 9th .- It is understood that the Royal Commission on the Labour Question comprises the following gentlemen -Lord Hartington (Chairman), Sir M. Hicks Beach, Sir J. Gorst, Mesars Dale, Mundella, Henry, Fowler, Abraham, and BOYPT AND THE COINING OF SILVER.

THE MEMBERS OF THE LABOUR COMMISSION.

It is stated that in order to obviate the inconvenience that arises at certain seasons of the year from the short supply of Egyp-Highness has decided on coining from £60.000 to £70.000 worth of silver in the course of this year.

(From Australian gapers.)

London, March 21 .- The leading members of the Italian colony at New Urleans admit the justice of the recent lynching. Excited meetings of Italians have been held at New York and Philadephia, at which the ponishment of the New Orleanslynchers was demanded. Fourteen thousand Italians are organizing for the purpose of mutual protection in the United States and

Mr Goschen has declined to pledge him. self to secure Legislation during the present | She Oh, you're very sentimental ! Heassion of Parliament for permitting British Oh, no. The kiss, you know, can't be in-Trust Funds to be invested in Colonial Go- troduced in a breach of promise suit,vernment Securities.

but gradually Oxford drew up, and passed | not exceeding, 002 of a second. neycroft's torpedo boat factory was again over 20,000 private suldiers; exclusive of leading by a quarter of a length. From those performing civilian duties; thus one here to Chiawick both crews made a succes- tenth of the force consists of its officers. sion of spurts, of which Oxford had slightly the best, passing Barnes two feet in the lead. This was increased to a quarter of a length at Mortlake: Time-21 min. 48

London, March 23. - There is an impression that all the vessels belonging to the last night attacked the Frick cokeworks at auxiliary squadron of the Australian fleet Morewood. The managers of the works, will, when tried, be found defective in reswho had been previously warned of the poot to the boilers. It is believed that every one will exhibit a similar weakness to that of the Karrokatta, which was unable to stand a forced draught. Colonel Sir William Gordon Cumming

Bart., is proceeding with his lawsuit against the affray, intense excitement prevails in Mr and Mrs Wilson, of Thornby Croft, and the district ; and two regiments of troops others, in regard to the circumstances of the card mountal. The defendants have applied for an attachment of the papers bearing upon the case, alleging that there was a On Londoncompromise of the offence owing to the pressure exercised by the Prince of Wales. The Anglo-Austrian Printing Union is attempting to make Horco Bottomley, who

has disappeared, liable for £90,000. Sir John Lubbock, Bart, the eminent banker, urges that a Parliamentary enquiry issue of one-pound notes is authorized, as suggested by the Chancellor of the Exche- | On Berlin-

London, March 24.—The Standard states | On New Yorkthat Grasse has lately been the scene of a serious spidemic of small-pox. Within the past three months there have been 161 On Bombay-Washington, April 4.-The meetings of cases in the town, thirteen of them proving the Pan-American Monetary Commission | fatal. The latest deaths took place as rewhich have been held here were brought to cently as March 16. In view of the pro- On Calcuttaclose to day, when a resolution was jected visit of Her Majesty to Grasse this adopted expressing regret that nothing had statement is regarded as of serious import. been achieved, but hoping that another Whether the plans of the Queen will be changed at the last moment remains to be

Mr Tim Healy, M.P. for North Long- Gold Leaf, 100 fine ... 1. \$32.70p, test ford, and brother of Mr M. Healy, her Sovereigns (Bank's huring rate) 8 6.26 been the victim of a destardly attack in Cork, His presente in the town seems to have been the signal for sh outburst of aniing apposition to Mr Parnell, who, together with Mr M. Healy, represents the city in Parliament. He was followed and hooted London, April 8, -The Convention has at by a mob of Mr Parnell's supporters. Something worse succeeded, Mr Henly was followed to his bedroom as the Victoria THE BELOTAN WORKMEN'S CONGRESS AND Hotel by Mr J. J. Dalton, M.P. for West Donegal, a warm supporter of Mr Parnell. Brussels, April 6. The Belgian Work- There Mr Dalton struck him a violent blow mon's Congress has unanimously resolved in the face, breaking his eyeglasses into on the labour question be comment Cork. The announcement that Mr Healy ed on the next meeting of the will apply for the Stewardship of the Chilthe excitement. The Conservatives will nominate a candidate, and the contest will and I case Silks; for Haves option Hambe watched with the greatest interest by burg, 270 cases Palm-leaf Fans, 54 pkgs. politicians generally. Another event which | Canes, 30 cases Chinaware, 14 cases Starhas belood to throw Cork into a state of aniseed and 10 cases Essential Oils; for turnioil is the removal to the city of Mesers | Havre option Hamburg option London, 112 W. O'Brien and J. Dillon to give evidence page. Canca; for Hamburg, 500 bage Rice,

in the adjourned Tipperary riot case. demanded of the Portuguese Government pkgs. Sundries, 23 cases Chinaware, 15 explanations of the conduct of Portuguese | cases Palm-leaf Fans and I case Silks ; for London, April 7.—It is stated that Harl Federials in sersing on the Limpopo River, Hamburg option London, 30 cases Essential Spencer will probably sesume the leader | South Africa, the Countess of Carnarcon, a Oils and 30 cases Bristles ; for London, 235 ship of the Liberal party in the House of British vessel chartered by the British South cases Essentials and 100 cases Camphor : Africa Company. The Portuguese autho- for Lisbon, 0 pkgs. Sundries; for Oportorities declared at the outset that the vessel 4 pkgs, Sundries. was seized because she was carrying contra- Per S. S. Belgio, sailed 15th 15th April band goods, but the British South Africa -For Yokohama, 11.167 bage Sugar, 8,234 A Maritime Congress held at Paris Han Francisco, 14,400 bags Rice, 1,100 bags

> Bir Julius Vogel, K.U.M.C., in a letterito 500 bales Jute, 462 Gunnice, 195 pkgs. mends the auggestion to the favour of the Merchandise; for Chicago, 182 pkgs. Mer-Imperial Coverhment in the event of an at chandise ; for New York, 85 pkgs, Mertempt at an amicable settlement with chandise, 4 cases Silks and 129 bales Raw

Bir William Cumming in respect to the gou, 191 bales Waste Bilk, 20 bales Raw affair was compromised through pressure for France, 4 cases Silk, I hale Waste Silk the Natal Government railways to the magers of the press complained of have been ! Waste Bilk.

the proceedings. Portugal intends to seize Manicaland, iz spite of the British South Africa Company." Mr. Paruell in referring to the subject of his challenge to Mr T. Healy for both

relign their seats as representatives of Core and seek re-election, asserts that Berly is in collusion with the Unionists to defeat him. An understanding has been arrived at that both members shall apply for the Stewardship of the Chiltern Hundreds conourrently. The Times, in commenting on this fact and on Mr Parnell's assertion. accuses the late Trish loader of seeking to shuffle out of the compact.

The Chilian insurgents have captured Antofagasta, a seaport town formerly belonging to Bolivia but which came into the possession of Chili with all the Bollyian coast line as the result of the late war between these Republics. The rebels now control two thirds of the resources and revenue of Chili.

The English residents on the frontier of Guiana ate fighting with the residents of

Venezuela. With regard to the lynching of eleven Sicilians, charged with the morder of Police-Inspector Hennessey in New Orleans, owing to the acquittal of three prisoners by a corrupted jury, two of the jury bribers have been indicted, and will be tried for that offence. The Governor of Louisians admits that three of the men lynched were probably Italian subjects. Still King Humbert of Italy's demand for the punishment of the lynchers is deemed inadmissable, as the United States Government consider that those lynched were

naturalised Americans. The irritation in Newfoundland as the action of Great Britain in reference to the fisheries dispute is increasing. It is reported that if the plebiscite were now taken seven eighths of the colonists would vote for somexation with the United States. and more than that if the Coercion Bill introduced into the British Parliament should be passed and enforced. It is stated that resistance will be offered in the colony unless a British regiment is sent to preserve order, as the Newfoundland authorities are strictly enforcing the provisions of the Bait Act, which forbids the sale of bait to French fishermen.

HE-One kiss is worth a hundred letters.

American Stationer. Oxford best Cambridge by a quarter of a THE Wheatstone automatic method of length, after a splendid race, during which telegraphy comes very near annihilating daylight never divided the boats. Cam- time. When transmitting at the rate of 600 bridge got a slight start and at the Orab words a minute there are 33,600 currents Tree was leading by a quarter of a length, | per minute sent out, each having a duration under Hammersmith Bridge on level terms. THE army of the United States consists Cambridge again crept ahead, and at Thor- of 2,167 commissioned officers and a little

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